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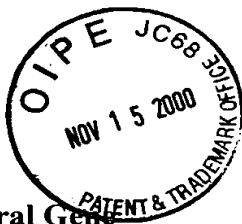
In re application of:

RENNER *et al.*

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For: **Inducible Alphaviral Gene
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Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated August 15, 2000 (PTO Prosecution File Wrapper Paper No. 11), Applicants submit the following Amendments and Remarks.

Amendments

Please enter the following amendments:

In the Specification:

Please amend the specification as follows:

On page 17, line 21, please change "ore" to --or--.

On page 22, line 26, please change " are"hot" " to -- are "hot --.

On page 23, line 15, please change "pCYTSts" to --pCYTts--.

On page 51, line 17, please insert a tab before "Five μ g of *in vitro*" to indicate that this text begins a new paragraph.